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TAGS: PROP, CZ, US
SUBJECT: PROPAGANDA FOCUS ON BRZEZINSKI

REF: PRAGUE 1566

1. RUDE PRAVO JULY 25 REPRINTS, APPARENTLY IN FULL,
MOSCOW PRAVDA ARTICLE BY SERGEI VISHNEVSKI ABOUT
NATIONAL SECURITY ADVISER ZBIGNIEW BRZEZINSKI ENTITLED
"A CONCEPT OF CONFRONTATION". WE ASSUME DEPARTMENT HAS
FBIS TRANSLATION.

2. COMMENT: THIS IS MOST EXTENSIVE OF NUMEROUS ANTI-
BRZEZINSKI ITEMS RECENTLY CARRIED BY PROPAGANDA
MEDIA. WE SEVERAL WEEKS AGO POINTED OUT TO MFA SIXTH
DEPARTMENT HEAD ZNATOVSKY THAT PERSONAL ATTACKS ON
PRESIDENT AND DR. BRZEZINSKI WERE NOT CONDUCIVE TO BETTER
RELATIONS. WE DOUBT PARTY-CONTROLLED PROPAGANDISTS WILL
PAY MUCH HEED TO OUR PROTESTS, HOWEVER, SINCE FACT THAT
DR. BRZEZINSKI WAS IN PRAGUE IN 1968 MAKES HIM
ESPECIALLY APPEALING TARGET AT THIS TIME. WE EXPECT
THAT TV FILM ATTACKING HIM TAKEN OFF THE AIR LAST
OCTOBER, ALLEGEDLY AT FOREIGN MINISTRY URGING, MAY
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SOON APPEAR IN PRIME TIME.

3. DECONTROL AFTER FOUR YEARS FROM ORIGINATING DATE.
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